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TWEEZER, AND A METHOD AND DEVICE TO
GENERATE OPTICALLY INDUCED FORCES

Response to Restriction Requirement

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office action mailed 04/18/2006 from the Patent and Trademark Office regarding the above-identified patent application, Applicant elects to prosecute the invention of Group II, Species Bii (claims 16-26, 28 and 29) reserving right to traverse. Applicant withdraws the non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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